



**UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
SUPERFUND SITE STRATEGY RECOMMENDATION - REGION 06**



Site Name: Almeda Genoa Road Site CERCLIS ID#: TXD-980-623-722

Alias Site Names: Gulf Metals State Superfund Site, Gulf Metals Industries

Address: Almeda Genoa Road

City/County or Parish/State/Zip Code: Houston, Harris County, Texas, 77075

Report Type, Date, and Author: EPA file review, 1/7/97, EPA NPL Coordinator and State WAM

RECOMMENDATION

☒ 1. No Further Remedial Action Planned
under Superfund (NFRAP)

☒ 2. Further Investigation Needed Under Superfund

☐ PA ☐ HRS Priority: ☐ High
☐ SSI ☐ RA ☒ Medium
☐ ESI ☐ RI/FS ☐ Low

☒ Other: State Registry designated Site
To be performed by: TNRCC

☐ 3. Action Deferred to:
☐ RCRA ☐ NRC

NOTIFY AUTHORITY:

<input type="checkbox"/> Removal	<input type="checkbox"/> RCRA	<input type="checkbox"/> TSCA	<input type="checkbox"/> CAA	<input type="checkbox"/> SMCRA
<input type="checkbox"/> Remedial	<input type="checkbox"/> State	<input type="checkbox"/> NPDES	<input type="checkbox"/> NRC	<input type="checkbox"/> Resource Trustee: _____
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DISCUSSION:

The Almeda Genoa site refers to a gravel pit site where petroleum sludge and oil field wastes were identified as of concern.

The site was reviewed by the EPA Technical Assistance Team in September 1995, under a Site Inspection Prioritization, and it was reported that the site was not likely to score sufficient for EPA National Priorities List (NPL) placement.

The site remained open pending further evaluation in coordination with the State environmental agency, the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC).

The site files has been evaluated by the EPA NPL Coordinator, and State Site Assessment Manager. The site has been further evaluated by the State, scored according to the old Hazard Ranking System (HRS) model, received a score of 20.04, and was added to the Texas State Registry of State Superfund sites. The site is known under the name "Gulf Metals State Superfund Site".

Currently, a Remedial Investigation report has been completed, and a Risk Assessment report is nearing completion.

Considering the HRS requirements, this site is not likely to meet the EPA criteria for placement in the NPL under CERCLA.

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DISCUSSION (continuation):

The EPA files, as indicated, were evaluated considering the requirements of the new HRS, the primary screening tool used by EPA's Superfund program to assess the relative threat associated with actual or potential releases of hazardous substances.

A decision of "No Further Remedial Action Planned" (NFRAP) under Superfund will be entered in CERCLIS, and the site will be referred to the State.

Based upon currently available information, this site fails to meet the minimum criteria required to be included, or proposed, at this time on the EPA NPL by the EPA. The NPL is EPA's list of sites that are priorities for further investigation and, if necessary, response action under CERCLA, 42 USC 960001, ~~et seq.~~ Other actions maybe appropriate under State Authorities.

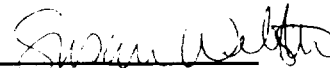
APPROVALS:

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Signature: 

Date: Jan/07/97

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Signature: 

Date: 1/7/97

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Signature: 

Date: 1/7/97

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Signature: 

Date: 1/9/97